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# Memorandum

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TO : Director of Training EYES ONLY

DATE: 13 September 1965

FROM : Chief, School of International Communism

SUBJECT: Weekly Activities Report No. 18  
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## I. SIGNIFICANT ITEMS

None to report.

## II. OTHER ACTIVITIES

1. The departure of [REDACTED] for Harvard will leave a gap in SIC the size of which we are only now beginning to realize. We, of course, will miss his unfailing good humor. However, as he has unloaded more and more files and lecture notes during the past two weeks we have become very much aware of the very large measure in which he has been contributing to the substantive competence of this staff. We will particularly miss his bibliophilia, which made him the target of numerous barbed comments, but which also made it virtually certain that no book would get by without being called to our attention.

2. In view of DDTR's interest in and concern about CT understanding of US policy and its broader strategic components I would recommend serious consideration of the acquisition of the NBC three and one-half hour White Paper on US Foreign Policy shown last week. It seemed quite objective and, in my judgment, represented a very useful review of the development of US policy since WWII.

3. Although it was the only feasible solution to a difficult scheduling problem, and even though it represented no undue strain on our resources, we are pleased that, at least for the foreseeable future, our overlapping, two section CT scheduling has now ended. I am sure that, at times, toward the tag end of the second section we ran a bit low on the kind of enthusiasm we'd like to project. This should no longer be a problem.

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B 4. I am meeting this week with John Keppel, the FSI Communist course supervisor, and the new supervisor of FSI's JOT program to discuss a proposal in which, I believe, they are going to suggest an increase in the level of SIC's participation in their EOD course. Keppel indicated that he might be willing to cut down on the support which he now receives from us in order to enlist our support in the JOT program, which they regard as more important. For the moment I will be an interested listener. Since we will now be functioning with one less staff member we'll have to go somewhat easy on new external commitments -- particularly with specials for [REDACTED] NPIC in the offing.

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